

REMARKS

Claims 7-21 are pending in the present application. Claims 8-21 are presented herewith. Claims 1-6 have been canceled as being directed to a non-elected embodiment.

Also by this Preliminary Amendment, the specification has been revised to identify the parent application.

Favorable consideration and early allowance of the present application is earnestly solicited.

In the event that there are any outstanding matters remaining in the present application, the Examiner is invited to contact Andrew J. Telesz, Jr. (Reg. No. 33,581) at (703) 715-0870 in the Washington, D.C. area, to discuss these matters.

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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0238 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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Abstract

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Abstract of the Disclosure

A method of transfer molding, wherein a top-half mold and a bottom-half mold of an apparatus form a plurality of cavities interconnected, and wherein a pressure adjuster reduces the pressure of the cavities every time a specified amount of resin is supplied into any one of the plurality of cavities.